

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1882.

All-Around The Hub.

THE POST-OFFICE BUILDING.

When the new building for a post-office located on Milk, Devonshire and Water streets, was commenced, some far-sighted people were convinced that the time would come, and at no very distant day, when the building would be found too small, and would have to cover the entire square to Congress street, but government, when urged to purchase the remainder of the ground, gave as one objection, that the surrounding streets were so narrow that it was not good policy to invest more in land than in beauty. The great fire in November, 1872, furnished an opportunity to widen all streets in that vicinity, and our government became owner of all the land bordering by the four streets named above, through the easterly side now faces Post-office Square instead of Congress street. Milk street and Water street were widened at a very great expense to the city, but for some reason, which we have never heard explained, the widening of Devonshire street was not insisted upon, probably because no portion of the new purchase was bounded by that street. We do not remember exactly how soon after the fire government made the additional purchase, but it was not a great while from the time it bought the land before work was commenced upon the extension of the building—probably seven or eight years ago. That the extension is much needed everyone who has any business to transact at the Post-office must know; that it will, when completed, add very much to the appearance of the building, no one will deny; but will it ever be completed? If private individuals had engaged in erection of such a structure it would have been finished and occupied five years ago.

We shall have, however, one of the finest post-office buildings in the country after having put up for years with accommodations that were a disgrace to the department and an insult to the people of Boston. The New York post-office, in an old church, was shallow enough, but that was perfectly palatial to the arrangements for the post-office here in the Merchants' Exchange building on State street, and yet many of our readers will remember that when Postmasters Capen and Emery B. Fay had removed the office to a fine new building on the corner of Summer and Chauncy streets, and State street capital had influence enough to obtain (no one outside of a few interested ones ever knew at what cost) an order to have it returned to the old dark rooms in the Merchants' Exchange, what rejoicing there was, even to the extent of the firing of 100 guns on the Commemoration.

Well, we have or shall have as good a post-office as even Boston desires and deserves, and it seems as if the building is large enough and strong enough to answer the purpose for which it is being built for the next two hundred years. "TO THOSE THAT HAVE SHALL BE GIVEN."

We find in the Scriptures many verses which are puzzling, and taken literally contradictory, but experience shows that no seven words in the Bible prove to be more true than the seven we have quoted, though why things should be thus is not so easily comprehended as they are true. We were forcibly reminded of them last week by the announcement that ex-President Grant had been retired with the title and under the pay of his position in the army which he left when he accepted the presidency. This we believe, gives him an income from the government of \$18,000 a year, and we presume he is in possession of a handsome property besides. He could undoubtedly also by lending his name to some big enterprise, secure a sincere position worth at least \$10,000 a year, upon which, with strict economy, most families in this country could be quite comfortable.

While we concede that, if it were the custom to pay those who voluntarily retire from the service that same amount which they had while actively engaged, no discrimination should be made against one man because he happened to possess property, and we acknowledge Grant's services to the country, we cannot forget that he did retire from the army to be made President; that he is not in want or likely ever to be; and also upon the principle we have quoted does there seem to be any reason why he should have been so highly favored.

We incline to the belief that if he was poor and needs the bill to retire him in full pay would not have passed so easily through the Senate, but its action in this case may work good as a precedent when it is proposed to do something for one or more of the country's heroes who do no assistance.

St. Nicholas for March.

The circus is ever a fascinating subject to young people, and the second part of Mr. Stoddard's article, "Men-and-Animal Shows," with my illustrations, is one of the most prominent and interesting features of the March St. Nicholas. There is a fair tale and some unusual decorative verse, illustrated with five color page illustrations. Poems are contributed by Rose Terry and Celia Thaxter. The present installment of "The Hosiery Schoolboy" is of unusual interest.

"The Drummer-boy," in the ride pits before Petersberg, and "Donald and Dorothea," in a novel fencing match, are the chief attractions. The illustrations of the painter Titian, and a beautiful reproduction of his famous portrait of himself form the frontispiece illustration to the magazine. The illustrations in this number are exceedingly fine and embrace work by many famous artists.

The Concert Master.

For each gives a portrait of the well-known author, W. D. Howells. The number is prominent in timely topics, such as, Broken Banks and Law Directors; Has Utah a Republican Form of Government? The Copyright Negotiations, etc. The illustrated articles are all excellent, including a Third Paper of Mexican Life, with refined and spirited engravings; A Rambler in Old England, a series of sketches; and a picture of Olympia in New York, with portraits of famous singers; Winter Sports, with sketches of the Black Bear and The Danish Skat-Sail, fully illustrated. There is a large variety of illustrated matter, with stories and serials of much interest. The departments embrace a profusion of topics, valuable and timely.

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LOCAL TOPICS.

THE WATER SUPPLY.

We are indebted to the Committee on Water Supply for this town, for a report of the Engineer, M. M. Tidd, Esq., which, with a condensation of a few details, we present below. Our readers will find it to be of great interest, and it will assist our voters at the town meeting in acting intelligently on this subject, which is of vital importance to the town.

In examining the town with a view to a water supply, the report says it appears that the water of the Great Pond, which has an area of 200 acres, and seems to furnish good water. As the pond fills up every year, and is used for mill purposes, there can be little doubt that it will furnish enough for all of your wants. For instance, it can draw a foot from the top of the pond, and thus reduce the area to one-half of its original size, or 145 acres, then the mean area between the top and that at 8 feet down would be 217 acres, or 8 feet deep with a surface of about 160 acres. If the pond is regarded simply as a reservoir, and had no rainfall for a year, furnish 573,151,500 gallons, or 1,542,880 gallons per day, or 60 gallons per acre of the shed—25,714 persons. It is curious to note this country to be supplied with 60 gallons per person head, which includes all purposes for which water is supposed to be used.

All water supply is dependent upon the rainfall, which in this part of the country is not very abundant, and the amount of rainfall is about 4 inches in depth, half of which is lost by evaporation, &c., leaving about 21 inches as the supply that may in ordinary years depend upon. To save, however, it is best to take the lowest known rainfall in the entire year. The pond will contain about 12 inches on the watershed, or 43,560 cubic feet per acre of the shed—326,700 gallons per acre year.

It would thus appear that the supply is sufficient. The elevation of the land above the level of the sea is about 152 feet above the level of the sea at ordinary high tide, which is high enough to supply all parts of your town by gravity, except South Weymouth, which has a elevation of 100 feet, and therefore requires a pump to furnish water. I have arranged a pumping station on Randolph street, at its junction with the O. C. railroad, taking its water from a branch of the main pipe as it passes from the pond on its way to East and North Weymouth.

The most convenient and suitable place to take the water from the pond appears to be near the outlet at north end, cutting through the plateau near the pond and crossing Randolph street near the dam at the junction with the canal which furnishes water to Sherman's mill. Crossing the meadow below the mill, the course follows down the easterly border of the swamp until it reaches the village of Randolph, where the grade is low enough to enter Main street, thereafter following the streets in all cases. This is arranged to be a 20 inch pipe as it leaves the pond 8 feet below the surface, until it reaches the village, when it will be increased to a 30 inch pipe to accommodate the extra flow by Mr. Josiah Davis had his leg broken by one of Drew's express teams backing up him accidentally, at Canterbury & Haskell's factory, last Monday afternoon.

G. W. Young carried four schools on a sleighride last Monday afternoon.

Mr. Joseph Sherman is still in feeble condition, but his physician, Dr. Brown, for whom skill and attention his patient expresses most grateful thanks, hopes to completely restore the health of Mr. Sherman on the return of warm weather.

Miss Carrie W. Dyer's illness still continues.

Mr. F. M. Nichols has removed his business of blacksmithing to Nantasket.

A special meeting of the W. C. T. Union will be held next Tuesday afternoon, to sew for the annual fair.

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Weymouth, County of Norfolk, all the right

in equity that Luke O'Neill and Margaret O'

Reilly, or either of them, had or have, to the

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GEORGE W. WHITE, Sheriff.

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Executor's Notice.

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ANNUAL TOWN Meeting.

The annual assembling of the voters of Weymouth to concert measures for the proper administration of municipal affairs for another year, occurred last Monday at the town hall, over one thousand citizens being present at the hour appointed for closing of the polls in the election of town officers. From 9 A.M., to 1 P.M., the voters improved the opportunity afforded to express their preference for municipal officers, and when the poll closed about 1,100 ballots had been cast, the result being as follows:

Town Clerk.

JOHN A. RAYMOND, (the entire vote) 1142

Treasurer.

OBAN WHITE, 1142

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor.

HENRY A. BICKNELL, 1123

THOMAS H. HUMPHREY, 1136

GEORGE A. CUSHING, 635

WILLIAM NASH, 1138

NOAH VINING, 1122

and these gentlemen constitute the honorable board of Selectmen of Weymouth for the ensuing year. There was an endeavor made to reflect the former incumbents of the office for Ward 3; Augustus J. Richards, who received 505 ballots, and Rev. J. Baker, also of the old board, received 32 votes. A few scattering votes were cast for other gentlemen.

Assessors Elected.

WILMOT CLEVERLY, 1135

JOHN P. BURRILL, 1130

GEORGE A. CUSHING, 1130

LEONARD GARDNER, 1140

NOAH VINING, 1077

23 votes were cast for Jacob Baker and a few for other parties.

Surveyors Elected.

GEORGE BENNETT, 1090

RICHARD HALMAN, 1093

JAMES B. FORD, 643

JAMES MOORE, 1121

BENJAMIN F. WHITMAN, 1112

In Ward 3 there were a contest between Mr. Ford and J. R. H. Williams for Surveyor, and Mr. Williams had 470 votes.

School Committee.

REV. A. M. TYLER, (3 years) 1138

CLARENCE H. FEARING, (3 years) 1132

Trustees Tufts Library.

AUGUSTUS J. RICHARDS, (3 years) 1136

JOSIAH REED, (3 years) 1137

FRANK W. LEWIS, (3 years) 1138

FRANCIS AMBLER, (2 years) 1138

Constables Elected.

WARD 1. AUGUSTUS M. BICKNELL, 1137

WARD 2. GEORGE W. MITCHELL, 1137

WARD 3. GEORGE W. WHITE, 1137

WARD 4. ISAAC N. TIRRELL, 1137

PURELL, GEORGE E. MAYNARD, 1137

EDWARD THOMAS, 2d, JOHN HALL, 1137

GEORGE S. HUNT, 1137

WARD 5. FREEMAN B. VINSOON, 1137

ALVIN HOLLISS, 1137

PETER HEALEY, 1137

JOHN SULLIVAN, 1137

DANIEL GILLIGAN, 1137

The ballot on the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" was decided to be as follows:

Yes, (with law) 6

" (without law) 351

No, (with law) 553

" (without law) 15

making 508 in favor to license and 357 in favor.

At 1.06 P.M., the Moderator, Frank W. Lewis, Esq., declared the ballot closed, and the other articles of the Warrant were taken up.

Under Article 4, to hear reports of officers and committees, the Selectmen's report was the subject of discussion, the printed allusion to reported financial discrepancies in past years being referred to by Hon. James Humphrey, a former member of the board, who, while he did not impute to the board any intent to cast malicious reflections upon past officers in the paragraph alluded to, felt that it was an injustice to former boards to allow even the appearance of a charge of fraudulence to be endorsed by the town, and the names of such men as Thomas Nash, Gilman Burrell, Oran White and others who had reflected honor upon the town by uprightness in office in past generations, thus sullied in the judgment of posterity. He proceeded to show by the schedule of the present year that mistakes had been made, and it was probable that errors could be found in every schedule, but he strongly deprecated the issuing to the world of even the semblance of a charge, which though manifestly an error in judgment on the part of the present board, would tend to cast a stain upon the character of those who had gone before.

Rev. Calvin Terry followed Mr. Humphrey, and said he was happy to learn that there was no malice implied in the paragraph alluded to. The subject was a knotty one, but it could be easily disposed of. Last year a dozen motions were made to appoint an investigating committee to sift this matter of supposed deficiency in financial affairs, but from the action of the meeting it was evidently considered not to be worth while to investigate the subject. This town has ever had exemplary confidence in its officers, but here is a matter that perplexes us, and the sum of the supposed deficiency is large enough to be looked into. Who shall account for this deficiency? The officials of the past, he said, should satisfy the people that they have acted squarely. He offered a motion that a committee of three be appointed to investigate the matter and report at the next annual meeting.

Auditors—E. S. Beals, Elias Richards, F. D. Pratt.

Fence Keepers—J. E. Wendall.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Leonard Gardner.

MARSHALL R. WRIGHT, Willard J. Richards and Augustus J. Richards were added to the list as Surveyors of Woods, Lumber and Bark in Ward 3.

The Committee to present a list of minor officers reported as follows:

Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark—Ward 1, C. H. Chubbuck, L. W. Bicknell, Ward 2, Joshua Vinson, W. T. Rice, T. H. Humphrey, Ward 3, George J. Wright, W. P. Sanborn, T. B. Porter, W. F. Sanborn, Ward 4, Gilman B. Loud, Jacob Holbrook, Joseph W. Holbrook, Ward 4, Joseph Dyer, J. Austin Deane, Henry Rockwood.

Weighers of Coal and Hay—Ward 1, J. R. Orcutt, Frank Lewis, Ward 2, Eunice W. Sherman, Robert McIntosh, Ward 3, Willard K. Richards, Amos L. Wright, Ward 4, Wm. Nash, Ward 5, J. Austin Deas, Joseph Dyer.

Tied Drivers—The Town Constables.

Fence Viewers—Ward 1, W. B. Bicknell, W. F. Shaw, Ward 2, Joseph Tomlin, David Tucker, Ward 3, Francis Richards, S. W. Gutterton, Ward 4, Edmund Denby, J. W. Holbrook, Ward 5, Geo. N. Blanchard, Seth Curtis.

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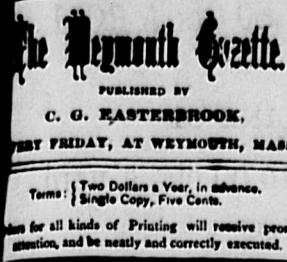
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BESTS OF A PAY DAY.

"Dave Navarre, the fat boy, dead?" said Capt. Goshen, the giant at a New York museum the other evening. "I know about him. I know him when he was four months old, a mere small, ordinary child. His mother showed him to me while I was on exhibition at Bechelle, Ill., in 1892, and I held him in these arms."

"Did Dave really die of the small-pox at Pittsburgh, this morning?" asked one of the fat women. "Why, I feel awful about it. I was corresponding with Dave, and had a letter from him just before he was taken."

"Dave was a fat girl," said a man o' the museum who had just returned from Pittsburgh. "He made acquaintances everywhere, and his correspondence with us was immense."

"He never had his equal for fatness," said Capt. Goshen with a sigh. "I saw Daniel Lambert at his best, and Dave was bigger. America produced in him the champion fat boy of the world. He had an awful temper when he was roused, and carried a pistol to shoot himself with."

"To shoot himself with?" echoed the reporter.

"Yes," replied the giant serenely, "in case of some accident, a fire or a railroad smash up, in which his size would prevent his escaping."

"I was the first man to exhibit him," said the proprietor. "I was at Lake Front, Chicago, in 1874. He was 10 years old, and I don't know how he weighed. I never had him weighed. His weight was estimated at 500 pounds. I first exhibited him in this city in 1877 at the old Bowery museum, and he was at Coney Island last summer."

GATHERING LOUST EGGES.

Last year Angora, in Asia Minor, was devastated by locusts, and, in order to avert a repetition of the calamity, the governor decreed that every able bodied person should during a certain period contribute the cost of catching the insects. The people, however, were too poor to afford the expense, so the government gave them two pounds weight of dried beans and delivered them to the nearest local authorities. The minimum quantity of eggs to be gathered in this manner was fixed at 1,400,000 pounds weight, and it was prescribed that a daily fine of two piastras should be levied upon each person who should fail to fulfil the duty thus imposed upon him.

The practical results were as follows: During the first day or two of the period appointed for the collection of the ova a few rustics brought in their quota of eggs; but the large majority of the peasants, far too indolent to take the trouble of digging them up, compounded with the powers that be by privately purchasing the necessary quantity of egg-sifters at the roomone piastre per kilogram, and then making public delivery of that quantity to the employes empowered to receive it. Thus the 300 or 300 kilos of eggs really collected and delivered by law-abiding peasants were sold over and over again to the shirkers. These tricksters availed half of the sum of their fines, officials pocketed a portion of their kick-back, and the curse of locusts for the coming season will in all probability turn out finer than that which all but ruined Angora last year.

CHINER FANS.

In early times the fan in China served as the general's flag or baton—was a rallying sign like the white plume of Henry of Navarre. They were at first made of bamboo-leaves or of feathers; then of silk—first white and afterwards embroidered. Their original form was rectangular; afterward they took the shape of the hemphut or great white waterily. M. de Bourboulon, in his "Voyage en Chine," gives a formidable list of the uses to which the fan can be put. The most likely is by his nice conduct of a silk fan from his brother of Western lands, by his crutch-stick, etc. Young Celestial misses fit with their fan-telographs as easily as do the Spanish acrobats. Mothers fan their children to sleep, school-masters correct negligent pupils with the handles of their learned fans. The employment of the fan as an autograph album is an old Chinese idea, but the Occident has not adopted the stiff fans of thin golden leaves, ivory or jade of the East, nor yet the bronze or iron fan of commandment of the Japanese middle ages, which was baton and battle-ax in one.

PRACTICAL JOKING.

Henry Waters of Youngstown, O., lived in ghosts, and had a peculiar awe of them. His weakness was known to his acquaintances, some of whom planned a practical joke at his expense. They managed to draw the bulletins of the newspaper which he kept under his pillow, and, in the night, he awoke to see a white-robed figure standing at the foot of his bed. Although dreadfully frightened, he suspected that it was a joker. Drawing the weapon, he took aim and said: "I shall fire when I count three." The intruder made no response, and Waters pulled the trigger. No impression was made of course, and five more shots were fired. The mock ghost laughed hoarsely, and threw six bullets at the bed as though he had supernaturally caught them. Waters shrieked in terror. Then the ghost threw off his disguise, and the other merryknakes burst into the room to laugh at their victim. But he still gazed fixedly. The shock had made him insane. Three weeks have elapsed without a restoration of his reason, and it is not expected that he will ever recover.

HARDENED OFFENDERS.

A singular adaptation of the railway engine has just been made in Russia. Information having been given to the authorities at Alexandria, on the Polish frontier, that the locomotive of the express leaving that station for Warsaw had been ingeniously converted into a receptacle for smuggled goods, it was carefully examined during its sojourn at the station. Though nothing was found wrong, it was deemed advisable that a custom-house official should accompany the train to its destination, where the engine furnace and boiler were emptied and deliberately taken to pieces. In the interior was discovered a secret compartment containing 123 boxes of foreign cigars and several pieces of valuable silk. Some arrests were made, indicating that the engine had been misappropriated, and the engine itself, which he had so long been accustomed converted into a hardened offender against the laws, was so genuine that he was released and allowed to return to his duties.

ANCIENT FARMS.

We talk a great deal about the large farms of this century and country, but some of the people of ancient days had pretty good-sized estates. For instance, a contemporary mentions the case of Ninus, who inherited from his father, Nurno, a farm as big as a good sized western state with 30,000 cattle, 14,000 sheep, and 1,000 swine, 200,000 sheep, 15,000 asses, and 25,000 slaves, and three thousand million dollars space cash besides.

AT UNUSUAL PURPOSE.

George Washington, Inventor of the Gun. (Cleveland, O. Herald.)

A few weeks ago we copied into our columns a short article by Mr. Edward T. Henton, of Providence, "A Remarable Statement," made by J. B. Henton, M. D., a gentleman who is well known in the city. In that article Mr. Henton states that he had sent him, and a few days thereafter we published from the same paper another article, "The First Article Dr. Henton's Statement," that a Dr. Henton had stated that for a number of years he had been affected with what seemed at first to most serious trouble. He felt unaccountable pain in various parts of his body and head, and was very hungry one day and entirely satisfied the next. He thought, and was told by physicians, that he was suffering from malaria. After a time he began to have fits, and finally obliged to give up a large and lucrative practice. Still he was not conscious of his danger, and did not know that he had become gradually weakened. The symptoms of his disease increased, and he was compelled to give up his practice. At last, however, he was ailing so much that he was compelled to give up his practice. He traveled extensively and consulted a host of physicians, but he noticed that princi-ally in the form of morphine, and so great strength as to constantly worse until he became a mere skeleton. He lived wholly by injections, and for six days and nights he had the hiccoughs, which continued to increase.

When hope and life were nearly exhausted, he turned to God, and, after trying to pray him away, he was induced to give up his practice. He was then sent to a house kept by Francis H. Turner, in the city. The doctor was sick. Six of the women were made sick, but none of them died. She was treated by means of a photograph.

ALLEGED PRACTICING.

Edward T. Henton, of the firm of Edward H. Hawkins & Co., of Providence, R. I., is in jail on a charge of practicing medicine without a license.

He is accused of having practiced in April, and will be absent about five months.

The Providence Journal says:

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WEYMOUTH, MASS., MARCH 24, 1882.

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Tension of splitting any one, but to organize a company of such men as recognize that at present at least, and until a change is made by a vote of the town, the fire department is under the control of the board of engineers.

A New Tinsley.
Emperor Cushing, they call him now. Well that is at least less savage than Chief. There was an emperor who died while Rome was burning. Our new emperor in case of fire in Hingham will not be found fiddling, but we shall hear him in clarion tones calling—"Play away, Torrent 21!"

Summer Residents.
With the cold, blustering March winds chilling us to our bones, it seems almost absurd to think, much more to speak of our summer residents, and yet it is a fact that early city people are seeking for places at which to pass the warm season which will be upon us three months from now. Several of those having desirable houses to let have already had applications for them, and one house, that of Mr. Theodore R. Glover, is engaged for the season by Mr. Arthur E. Jones, of Cambridge. Mr. James S. Tleton has let his house at the harbor, near the junction of Ship and Otis streets, to Henry S. Macomber, of the firm of E. T. Milliken, Boston. Mr. F. R. Daniels, of Bouve, Daniels & Goss, Boston, will occupy again this summer Mrs. Lewis' house on Main street; and we are told that Mr. Seth W. Fuller will pass the summer once more in the house of Rev. Jonathan Tilson, on Cottage street. We know of other parties who are enquiring for houses here; Fast day will bring a host of visitors to Hingham, and we predict that if the first of May most if not all the desirable houses which will be offered for let for the summer will have been taken. Late applicants will find pickings from which to choose.

A Pastor Called.
At a meeting of the First Parish, Monday evening, it was voted to extend an invitation to H. Price Collier to become pastor of the society. Mr. Collier is a son of Rev. Robt. Laird Collier and is at present at the divinity school at Harvard College, his college course ending on the 29th of June next. He has preached but once for the society of the Old church, but made then so good an impression that they have decided to give him a call; should he accept he cannot be ordained till he has terminated his course at the divinity school.

Was it a Burglary?
Last Tuesday morning, a son of Mr. George C. Richardson, of Boston, visited the house owned by his father on Glover's hill, and found that some time since the house was last visited by any of the family—about six weeks ago—some one had forced an entrance by breaking a large pane of glass. The house is fully and very handsomely furnished and a great deal of damage might have been done, but, except that all of the doors which were left locked were found to be unfastened, nothing appeared to have been disturbed. It is surmised that the breaking in was done by boys who having satisfied their curiosity, departed, fortunately, without doing any serious harm.

A Night Suggestion.
The project to fill up the Mill-pond is abandoned for the present; the estimated cost of the filling and the difficulties to be encountered in settling claims for land damage, together have rather staggered the most enthusiastic advocates of this improvement. But in conversation few evenings since, when the subject was introduced, one of the company told them from the beginning they were wrong in their charges that the engineers, and had certainly adopted a wrong method to obtain results, if they had good cause for complaint.

We are amused at the charge made by the company. We are unfriendly to the company. Wm. F. Hardin is the friend of the company ever had, he told the dissatisfied members almost exactly the same as what we wrote; several of the old, stanch friends of the company told them from the beginning they were wrong in their charges that the engineers, and had certainly adopted a wrong method to obtain results, if they had good cause for complaint.

We are pleased to hear that a meeting held on Monday evening it was decided to return the pictures, clock, recs, etc., to the hall at the enginee, and we are pleased, not in any way, "we told you so," but because we voluntary return of those articles we see that convinced them they acted right, those who voted for the removal came up like men and assented to the return. We believe calm reflection will convince them that we are right in our statement they would disband the company. In fact we further and dared to hope that even shall eventually be pardoned for writing the truth.

The board of engineers, though they did not recognize any dismemberment of the company by a vote of members, did acknowledge to them that the company, with many of members desirous of being discharged, not an efficient company. They before called a meeting last evening the enginee house—not with the intention

proposed in fun, may yet be adopted, thus solving a puzzling problem. Should it ever be adopted, we shall feel in duty bound to give the name of the originator of the idea.

Mr. C. E. Bailey received last Friday

50 tons of fine Kalmia coal.

The religious interest at the Baptist

church continues to hold good, and many

more are professing their faith in Ba

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thirteen candidates have already been

baptized and received into the church;

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Miss Annie Vinal, who has charge of

the Neck school, is now making a

visit out West, among her friends. Her

school will be under the charge of Mrs.

A. F. Hammond, one of the School

Committee, during her absence.

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Fair.

The committee of the North Scituate

Brass Band have been hard at

work making and completing arrangements for the fair which will commence

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Brass Bands will be consolidated and

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Vesper services are being held at the

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HINCHAM CENTRE.

Problem.

The year 1849 was a square year.

What is its cube? What was the last

square year in the last century? What

will be the next square year in the next

century?

The Philharmonica Orchestra gave a

fine rehearsal in the hall of the Young

People's Debating Society last Tuesday

evening, which was well attended.

The graduates and past members of

the High school met at their hall on

Wednesday evening and enjoyed a pleasant

reunion.

SOUTH HINCHAM.

The Weymouth Star Minstrels and

the Big Four which appeared at Wilder

Memorial, last Monday evening, were

greeted with a large and appreciative

audience who enjoyed the entertain-

ment from the beginning to the end,

and the assemblage, during the entire

evening was kept in a continual roar of

laughter. The "Star" opened their

entertainment with an "Overture," by

W. F. Burrell and Company, followed

with an "Opening Chorus," by the Min-

strels, both of which were rendered in

a pleasing manner; next was "Tapioca,"

by J. M. Goodwin, and "When Grand-

mother sang us to Sleep," by A. Mur-

phy, their selections being finely ren-

dered. Then came "When we meet in

the Sweet Bye and bye," by Danny Ha-

iley, "Breathes again those sweet words,

Darling," W. A. Allen, their selections

receiving a merited applause; "Uncle

Sam's Silver Wedding," Johnny White,

"Don't forget the Old Folks," Andy F.

Bicknell; "Meet me at the Sunrise in

the Morning," George Shaw, and "My

dear Mother," by Willis Thompson, all

of whom gave satisfaction. The "Big

Four," Messrs. John Goodwin and John

White, with bones, and Danny Haley

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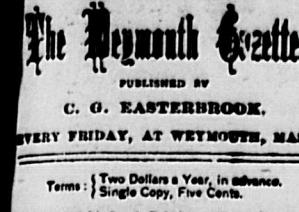
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FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 1882.

All Around The Hub.

ENCOURAGING ON THE COMMON.

The matter of the widening of Tremont street, by taking a portion of the Common between Brattleboro street and Park street, and for the purpose of accommodating the constantly increasing travel, is again agitated. We have always contended, against any encroachments upon our Common, and have gone so far as to urge that, not by even the unanimous vote of every voter in the city could the smallest portion of that land be sold or otherwise disposed of. But "circumstances alter cases," and while we are so conservative that we would fight hard any measure intended to "despoli" the "most beautiful natural park in America," we are sufficiently progressive to believe that sentiment, beauty, the ornamental, even the ancient must yield before the demands of a stern necessity. We will remember the feeling a few years since in regard to the removal of Trinity church on Summer street, though its location in the midst of business had rendered the site a very inappropriate one for a church; we remember also how easily the proprietors were reconciled to the sale of the land when the great fire of November, 1872, destroyed the building. We know that if the same fire had reduced the old Old South Church to ruins, regrets for its destruction would have been short lived, and we should have been spared the long struggle for its preservation. Therefore, while we will yield to none in a determination to oppose any encroachment upon the Common, we can see that the public convenience may and probably will necessitate the widening of Tremont street between the points we have named, and that as widening can be made most easily and inexpensively by taking a small slice of the small will which will not be missed nor affect the appearance of the Common, except that some trees which are even now neither useful nor ornamental must be removed, we presume that when the matter comes up for consideration before the city government it will not meet with much opposition. The objections to the measure are these: the widening is called for by the horse railroad companies, which have neither conscience nor modesty in making their demands, and it is an entering wedge which may in the future be used to still further encroach upon the Common.

NO STATE PRISON FOR US.

Our recently annexed Charlestown district is threatened with a return of the State prisoners to within its limits. The people who reside almost under the shadow of Bunker Hill monument have scarcely realized what a blessing it was to them to have the new state prison at Concord completed and occupied, when they are threatened with a return of the prisoners to Charlestown. But that is now part of Boston, which city is at least should be as much interested for all portions of its territory as for any portion, we hope to hear from its senators and representatives such remonstrances against the proposed return as shall convince those who advocate the measure that Boston don't want the state prison, and having once got rid of it will not submit to having it again.

That the condition of things at Concord is bad and a disgrace to the State does not admit of question, but because State authorities selected an improper site and erected an unsuitable building is not the fault of the people of Charlestown or Boston, and we do not propose to suffer, if we can help it, for the blunders made by others.

Those who decided upon the location at Concord could have ascertained about the water supply and the facilities for drainage as well before the land was purchased as they can ascertain in regard to those matters now. The architect of the new prison, if he could not impose on the old one, would have done well to copy it in drawing his plan for the new one, which is now pronounced so miserably planned that the officials of the prison and those who are confined there long for a return to Charlestown.

"THE WORLD" AT THE BOSTON THEATRE.

The great curiosity which was felt by thousands of readers of the Boston papers caused by the announcement that the "World" would be presented at the Boston Theatre has been satisfied by some during last week and this week, and the play, a melo-drama of the most absorbing interest, will hold the stage many weeks to come.

Our space will not permit of giving even an abstract of the play; perhaps it is as well that we should not; but we may say that the scenes on the wharf at Cape Town, to which appears moored a real steamer; the raft, tossing upon a tempestuous sea with men clinging to it for life; the sail described in the distance, the booming gun telling that help is near; the suspense, the escape on the river, exceed in thrilling interest, almost painfully exciting interest even without the words of the play, anything ever dreamed of before in the way of theatrical effect.

We should suppose the presentation of "The World" must have a depressing effect upon the receipts at the other places of amusement, and we know that the only way to secure seats to witness the play is to apply for tickets several days in advance.

Fast Day.

Governor Long has issued the following proclamation:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

By His Excellency, John D. Long, Governor: A proclamation for a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer. Whereas it is in accordance with a good and ancient custom so to do: Now, therefore, I, John D. Long, Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the council, do appoint Thursday, the sixth day of April next, to be kept throughout the Commonwealth as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer to Almighty God. "Not this the fast that I have chosen;" to loose the hands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and to let the oppressed go free, and that ye bear every man his burden. In witness whereof, I have signed this my Commission chamber, in Boston, this 23d day of February, in the year of our Lord 1882, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-third. JOHN D. LONG.

By His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the council.

HENRY B. PIERCE, Secretary.

God save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

LOCAL TOPICS.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

Funeral of James Henry Clapp.
Mr. James Henry Clapp, one of Weymouth's most prominent and enterprising boot and shoe manufacturers, died last Monday, after a long and severe illness with cancer, at the age of 51 yrs. 18 days. Funeral services were held at his residence on Lake street, yesterday, at 1.30 P. M., Rev. F. C. Chapman, pastor of the Old North church, officiating at the ceremonies at the house.

Mr. Clapp was a highly esteemed member of Orphan's Hope Lodge, F. & A. M., also of South Shore County Knights Templar, and the two organizations, the Lodge being under escort of the Commander, Sir William Wallace being Lieutenant Commander, and Francis A. Wickford Worshipful Master, headed the cortège and proceeded with the remains to the Old North Cemetery, where the impressive burial service of the Masonic order was performed by brother Alvah Raymond, the venerable Chaplain of Orphan's Hope Lodge. 200 Masons were in line.

The floral decorations were profuse and superb. Every place at the house where flowers or plants could be put was occupied, many friends of the dead brother sending tributes of affection and esteem, to add to the decoration, and the piano and tables were covered with floral adornments. The most noticeable and elegant design was a floral pillow and tablet combined, presented by South Shore Commander, and arranged by Mrs. C. Mellen, of the Front street Conservatory, Weymouth Landing, all the flowers being furnished from her greenhouse. The tablet was 30 inches long and 20 inches wide, and comprised a Square filled with pinks, with the word "Rest" in violet, the whole bordered with ivy leaves, panies, and roses. A tablet of copper bearing the Red Cross of the Knights, this being filled with camellias, roses, pinks, and resting on four large calla lilies. On the right was a Square and Compass, and on the left a tablet of forget-me-nots, etc. On the left was a Maltese Cross, filled with large roses and double boudoirs, in the centre was the letter "G" in violet. A photograph of this splendid decoration was taken yesterday forenoon by Nate C. Wheeler, and made a lovely picture.

Beneath Concert.
The Star Minstrels gave an entertainment for the benefit of A. F. Bicknell, vocalist. The severe storm prevented the house being crowded as usual, but the Stars did not abate one iota of their fun, and gave the audience a fine entertainment. They are expecting to continue their concerts for a time, and will probably visit Hanover and Somerville. They have good houses wherever they go, and are sure to please an audience.

Short Items.
Mr. Solomon Lovell, ice dealer, is still quite feeble, with water around the heart, for which the operation of trining is being performed.

Mr. Joseph Sherrill is also in a protracted condition, although it is hoped a favorable result will ensue long.

Mrs. Albert Turrell, of S. Weymouth, died at 3.40 o'clock this morning. She was attended in her illness by Dr. Towler and Gleason, and Dr. Thayer, from Boston. The disease was of a prophetic nature. Funeral services occur at the residence next Monday, at 1 p.m.

A union religious service will be held at the Union church, Fast Day, at 10 a.m. Addresses will be made by the pastors of churches at the Landing.

It is rumored that a rubber factory is to be established at the Landing. Work on the new business building of A. G. Nyce is progressing, and M. P. Bryant is putting up a new store next Tuesday evening, of which particulars will be found in another column.

Weymouth Historical Society.
The members of this society are reminded of the April meeting which occurs on Tuesday evening.

Papers of interest may be expected, but as the officers are not notified when and what to expect the only sure way of hearing what has been prepared is to be present regularly.

Mechanics Temple & Honor attended the funeral obsequies of their late brother, George White, at South Braintree, Saturday afternoon, being conveyed by G. W. Young.

There will be a regular meeting of the Gen. Bates Engine Company next Monday evening. The question of disbanding will be brought up for discussion.

Another aged citizen, Mr. Samuel French, passed away Wednesday morning, in his 80th year. Funeral services will be held from the residence Saturday afternoon, at 1.30 o'clock.

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Several papers of great interest and value are known to be in preparation and may ready at any meeting; and as very few of these are published it will be necessary for those who may wish to know what they are to come and hear them.

Friendly Meeting.
Mrs. Warren Richards, having reached a three-quarter century of life, a large party of her connections and descendants assembled at the house of Mr. Joseph Richards, on Broad street, last Wednesday, to celebrate her seventy-fifth birthday in a social gathering.

The religious revival in the Baptist church is constantly increasing, and the work has assumed so much importance that the pastor, Rev. Mr. Nordell, has secured the services of Rev. C. C. Luther, the singing evangelist, to assist him in his labors. Mr. Luther will come to Weymouth at the close of his work in Scituate, which will be a short time.

The Weymouth Band has organized for the coming season with C. L. Stetson as the leader. For the past ten or twelve years there has not been one of the original members connected with their ranks, and being one of that number, perhaps it will be interesting to many to know when and where the band was first formed. In the year (I think) 1843, a young man of this place met one evening at Mr. Elias Richards' grocery store and boot factory on Front street, opposite the Episcopalian church, and for the above purpose organized, with Mr. E. S. Hunt as their leader. After a year or more of practice we for the first time received up for our services, with a small remuneration.

Wednesday evening a good entertainment was given by G. T. H. to the Methodist Social Circle, Wednesday evening, proved a grand success. The entertainment consisted of readings by Miss Lulu Leavitt, a charming song by Mrs. Nellie Whiting, piano solos by Misses Florence Bates and Oliver Farmer, duet by Misses Jessie Cunningham and Abbie Pratt. The supper was liberally patronized and a neat sum netted from the proceeds, and the entire occasion was one of much pleasure and profit.

The annual meeting of the Second Parish occurred on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock.

C. L. Rice & Co., of Rockland, have established a branch store in this village, under Music Hall, which is stocked with a large variety of goods, hardware, every-day articles and household furnishings.

One of our citizens, Mr. E. J. Whitchurch, deceased. The parish voted to continue the services of their pastor, Rev. Mr. Titus.

Mr. George M. Reed, a young man of 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reed, of Weymouth, has just returned from the Hingham Club, Wednesday evening and enjoyed a grand good time.

M. L. Cushing buried another horse last Monday.

Mr. C. F. David on going to the door of his residence on Friday morning, found his dog lying on the steps stone dead.

Miss Angie Cain has accepted a position as organist and teacher of music in one of the schools of Providence, R. I. We wish her success.

F. H. T.

Dividends.

The First National Bank of South Weymouth will pay a dividend of four percent, April 1st.

The Union National Bank of Weymouth has declared a dividend of three (3) percent, payable April 1st.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

Funeral of James Henry Clapp.
Rev. Mr. Ferris of Rockland, occupied the pulpit of the Second church, last Sabbath morning, preaching an eloquent and impressive sermon.

Mr. Seth Howe has been confined to his home in this village, for some weeks past, with a severe illness, but we are pleased to learn that he is improving. We express an earnest desire that he may speedily regain his health, and be again seen in the busy scenes of life. Mr. Howe has for some time been employed in the wholesale department of Jordan, Marsh & Co., by whom he is held in high estimation.

Mr. Stuart Rogers, the eminent impersonator, is announced to appear at Music Hall, on Tuesday evening, for the benefit of the Improvement Association. Mr. Rogers has just completed a highly successful tour through the West, under the direction of the Redpath Lyceum Bureau, where he was greeted six nights in the week by large and enthusiastic audiences. Wherever he appears the press speaks in the highest praise of his ability to impress the different shades of human life, and win the favor of his audience. He derives his ticket price from the cost of his services. As he appears to the public, giving everything the private purchase goods, whether they be shares holders or not. All goods have to be paid for before they are taken from the store.

New Store.
Mr. Harrison Moulton, of Monton's North Weymouth and Boston express, has built for him a new stable by Bicknell & White. The stable is located on Pratt's Avenue in Montonville, and is a nice large stable with all the modern improvements.

Appointment.
Galen E. Pratt has been appointed as special policeman by the Selectmen.

Juryman.
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The pastor selected for his text first chapter eleven verse of Timothy. The sermon was a very able discourse, and in conclusion referred to the society being so united and so free from debt. During the two years he had been their pastor he had endeavored to do all his power to improve the people and believed much good had been accomplished, and the society was still continuing to prosper and that their numbers might increase. His remarks were rather affecting. He hoped that God would guide them and bless them in all their impressive burial service.

Laws.
We understand that this community is soon to lose one of its citizens, Mr. J. M. Allen, who is to remove to Ludlow, Vermont, where he is to take charge of a farm.

Arrested.
Mr. Josiah Wilkins, our well-known dealer in nice family farm and trotting horses, arrived home from the West last Friday, where he had been to purchase his annual Spring stock of horses for his large and growing trade.

Dramatic.
The Dramatic Club which played "The Bachelors" at the opening of the Grand Army Fair have been invited by the Hook and Ladder Company to repeat the same for the benefit of John Hill, one of its members, and we have been told that the invitation has not yet been accepted.

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GEORGE A. WHITING,

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Weymouth, March 13, 1882.

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ELIAS RICHARDS.

Weymouth, April 7, 1882.

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at any time, except Saturday evenings.

ELIAS RICHARDS, Attorney.

Weymouth, April 7, 1882.

NOTICE.

IN SOLVENCY NOTICE.

In the case of GILBERT E. STIMSON, Insolvent

Debtors, the undersigned, having been appointed

Administrator of the Estate of GILBERT E.

STIMSON, late of Weymouth, in said County, deceased, in

Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said County, on the 1st day of April, 1882, at 10 o'clock A.M., to show cause

why the said St. Stimson, and others, should not be

declared insolvent, and have taken

the necessary steps to be done.

Augustus J. Richards, Attorney.

Weymouth, March 3, 1882. (Signed)

JOSEPH B. CHESNELL, Executor.

Weymouth, April 11, 1882.

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The services for which you are known—
Devotion to human nature shown,
And in its noble and cottage—
This pride, like pigs of a certain breed,
Will manage to live and thrive and feed
As poor as a pauper's portage.

Call all the notable things on earth,
The greatest is the pride of birth.
Among our "fierce democrats,"
A braggard serves a hundred years,
Where a prop to set it from meers—
Not even a couple of rotting piers,

A thing of laughter, flings and jeers,
Is American aristocracy!

Upon up, it is my foolish friend,
Your family thread you cannot ascend,
Without good reason to appearred

You may find it waxed on the other end
By some plebian votary of your cause,
Or, worse than that, a honest boy
May end in a loop of stronger wine.

This plagued some wretched relation.

Because you favored in earthly affairs,
Would bring you to put on air.

Would instant pride of station.

Would be proud and turn up your nose

At poorer people in plainer clothes;

But here, for the sake of your reape,

That all pround deal, wherever it grows,

Is subject to irritation.—John G. Saxe.

TABLE WINE.

"You are very foolish, Eleanor. What
hurt will a little wine do?"

"I will do a great deal, John. I
should dislike very much to see it on
the table."

"Everybody else has wine on the
table. What will our visitors think at
its absence?"

"I don't think what they chose. I
value your happiness and more than
that I do the gratification of a few
friends, whose convivial habits will in
no ways be improved by its presence."

"What do you mean, Eleanor? You
know I have no time to waste more than
a minute at a time. You cannot fear my
becoming a drunkard."

"Men as temperate and with as strong
a will as yours, John, have before now fallen.

In time a single glass may become two, the two three, and so on
until he may be a drunkard. You do not
know how strong my anticipations are to
wine."

"Yet wine is a good drink in proper
quantities. The psalmist sings its
charms. "It maketh glad the heart of
man." Mother always keeps it on the
table. I see no good reason why I
should not."

"For my sake, John," pleaded the
young wife.

"Pshaw! You are too exacting,
Eleanor. As if a fellow could not have
a little wine without falling into
disputed habits."

"Wine is a mocker, strong drink is
raging. Whosoever looketh upon it is
not wise," said the Scripture.

"A man's passions may be quenched in
its course; but, if he be not a saint, he
will be a drunkard." Does not Paul
say to Timothy: "Take a little wine
for the stomach sake?" But what the Bible
says one way or the other is not per-
manent. It like a little wine. If the
fashion to have on the table, and I
do not like it."

"Do not want to make me miserable
for life, John?"

"Don't use that for an argument.
You have some very squeamish notions.
Because your grandfather was a drunk
and a scoundrel, no, that I shall have
to be with on the table, and don't you
forget it!" and with these words spoken
pretty determinedly, John Somersworth,
Esq., attorney-at-law and rising politi-
cian, left the cozy parlor of his fine
apartment, on the airy, less luxurious law office
on Broadway, where he divided his time
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